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BRINGS HOME BRIDE

We are pleased to place on record the arrival, last week end, of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Price. They are at present paying an honeymoon visit at the home of "Bob's" parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Price.

Their marriage was solemnized at Elkton, Maryland, U.S.A., June 3rd. The bride formerly being Miss Adelaide Rockafellow of Princetown, N.J. On their road home the happy couple visited relatives at Vermont and New York, their tour including several other cities.

The Chronicle only voices the sentiment of the large number of Bob's local friends when we wish them a long and happy married life; and also that they will see their way to make their home in our midst.

NEW FEATURE FOR THE CHAUVIN FAIR

Mr. A. S. Morrison met the directors of the Chauvin Agricultural Society at a special meeting and outlined in detail the plans of the Live Stock Branch of the Dominion government in holding "Get of Bull" Competitions in conjunction with the local fairs. The plans were approved by the Society and it was decided to include this in the 1923 Chauvin Fair.

A total amount of \$182 in prizes is therefore being offered subject to the following:

GET OF BULL COMPETITION

Each entry must include three animals, not necessarily the property of one owner, but all three the progeny of one pure-bred bull.

Entries shall be confined to animals not over twenty four months of age and not under twelve months of age on September 1st of the year in which the competition is held.

Name and number of Sire must be furnished at time of entry.

The entry fee shall be \$3.00

CLASS A. DAIRY CLASS

Open to heifers, grade or pure-bred, and to pure-bred males.

(All exhibits must be sired by Dairy Sire. A Shorthorn sire can be used in the dairy class, provided it is a dual purpose animal).

Prizes: 1st \$18.00; 2nd \$17.00; 3rd \$14.00; 4th \$12.00; 5th \$10.00; 6th \$8.00; 7th \$6.00

CLASS B. BEEF CLASS

Open to heifers, grade or pure-bred, to steers, and to pure-bred males.

Prizes 1st \$20.00; 2nd \$18.00; 3rd \$16.00; 4th \$15.00; 5th \$12.00; 6th \$10.00; 7th \$8.00.

Illustrated Lecture

On Birds Of Alberta

Mr. S. S. Stansell, of Provost will give an illustrated lecture on Alberta birds, on Saturday evening June 23. About 100 lantern slides will be shown some colored, all true to nature.

Mr. Stansell has lectured on birds for the past 20 years, and some of his pictures are being used by the U.S. government and the Smithsonian Institute, of Washington D.C.

These lectures are highly instructive and interesting to young and old, and are of especial value to school children as considerable of the lecture deals with birds as outlined in the course of studies.

CHAUVIN SCHOOL TRUSTEES MEETING

Regular meeting of the Trustees of the Chauvin School District held at the school house at 8 o'clock Monday June 11th 1923.

Present: Dr. Folkins (chairman), Mrs. Saul, Mr. Foxwell.

Minutes of last preceeding meeting were read and Mrs. Saul moved, Mr. Foxwell seconded that same be adopted as read. Carried.

Accounts: The following accounts were presented, Chauvin Pharmacy, \$7.75; Chronicle, \$4.50; Western Lumber Co. \$2.35; J. A. Montjoy, \$8.45; Mr. Foxwell moved, Mrs. Saul seconded that these accounts be paid after being O. Ked. Carried.

Letter was read from National Trust Co. Re: arrears of taxes in respect to the Pitt estate lots, asking that Tax Recovery proceedings be stayed in this matter, Dr. Folkins moved, Mr. Foxwell seconded that these arrears must be dealt with in the ordinary course. Carried.

School Grants: Secretary then read an amendment to the School Grants Act, which very materially effected the revenue of this district for the current year. As these grants would take effect as from 21st April last, it was estimated that there would be a reduction of about \$315.00 for the current year. This matter then developed into a discussion as to whether or not to suspend the operation of the high school above grade nine and the revision of the teacher's contracts for the next term.

Dr. Folkins moved that the Secretary write to or interview the present teachers, informing them that the Board proposes revision of teacher's salaries and therefore the present contract would terminate and would not be renewed at the end of the present term. Mrs. Saul seconded. Carried.

Salaries: The matter of fixing salaries for next term was left over until next meeting.

Dr. Folkins then declared the meeting adjourned. Carried.

BASEBALL NOTES

The Chauvin baseball boys are going to make a special effort to regain lost laurels at the Chauvin Sports. Their efforts this year having failed so far in gaining a victory, although they gave a good battle to Wainwright at the Edgerton Sports last Wednesday. In this game Wainwright gained three in the first innings, Chauvin tying in the third. At the end of the seven innings game the score stood equal at 4 apiece. An eight innings was played without a score, and in the ninth Wainwright scored one, whilst Chauvin got out with two men upon bases.

This was an improvement upon the showing at the Provost Sports, where Chauvin fell victims to Hayter skill to the tune 17-11.

Chauvin Veterans Will Celebrate Peace Day

The G.W.V.A. and the St. Andrew's Society will hold their joint annual sports on July 19th. The Program will include military sports and exhibition races, baseball etc.. Watch for big posters which will be printed later and will give particulars of events.

LOCAL CROP REPORT

Tuesday June 19th: Cool weather following heavy thunder rains now prevail. The near drought conditions prevailing last week have been ended and sufficient moisture is now in the land. Growth is vigorous. Some rye is reported as nearly ready to cut for feed. Land is now in good shape for ploughing. Crop prospects at time of writing are excellent.

Basketball Notes

An error was made in our note last week. The Chauvin basketball team won against Provost. The Provost News states:—"The two basket ball games were keenly contested, Chauvin winning from Hayter in the first game and again from Provost in the second game. The Chauvin team played a good game and showed superiority over the Provost and Hayter teams throughout."

NOTES FROM THE NORTH EAST

We are glad to say that Harry Gabrielson has now fully recovered.

We will be pleased to see you Sunday, a bright service is promised at 3.30 p.m.

Fram G.G.A. Picnic on Friday. Come and have a good time.

We are pleased to report that Mrs. John Patterson is making rapid progress toward recovery.

The municipal rally of the Grain Growers is fixed for Friday June the 29th at 1.30 p.m. Will the ladies please bring baskets, hot water etc. will be available. A. J. McPhail; C. C. Stalker; and Mrs. Kripps are the speakers with James W. Coe, J.P. as chairman.

Fram school is the venue, come and be sure of enjoying yourselves.

Don't forget the sale of work in Artland on Saturday. The ladies of the Sewing Club will be glad to see you and your friends

The Chautauqua will be held on 20, 21, 23, and 24 of July. Watch for Posters. From various reports the Chautauqua this year is very good plhG.Gs9IP.inqq qqqqqqquqq

Edinglassie Church Mtg

A meeting of the congregation at Edinglassie was held Sunday June 10, at which Messrs P. H. Perry, John Murray and John Taylor were elected trustees for the ensuing year. Mr W. Petrie was elected secretary.

The regular routine of the church business having been performed, it was decided to order a further supply of hymn books.

No Fair At Irma This Year

A meeting of the directors of the Irma Agricultural Society was held on Saturday afternoon, June 16th when after a lengthy discussion it was decided on account of the financial standing and the cutting of grants by the government not to hold a fair this year.

CHANGE OF TIMES IN TRAIN SERVICE

Effective Sunday, June 24th the following changes will be made in the times of the trains from Chauvin.

No. 1. "Continental Limited" west will leave about 45 minutes earlier, arriving at Edmonton at 10.45 p.m., instead of 11.20 p.m., as at present.

No. 2. "Continental Limited" east-bond will leave about one hour later, it will leave Edmonton at 7.45 a.m., instead of 6.45 a.m., as at present.

Trains 3 and 4: the two locals will run at the same times. There being no change in this service in this district.

Local times for the "Continental" have not yet been published, but as soon as they are known we will publish same.

Church Note

An ordinary Divine Service will be conducted Sunday June 24th at 1 o'clock p.m. at the farmhouse of Mr. and Mrs. E. Swanson about 3 1/2 miles Northwest of Roros School House. Everybody welcome.

O. E. GRONEN, Luth. Pastor

SCHOOL GRANTS ARE REDUCED

Drastic reductions in grants made by the Alberta government to schools have been made, and seriously affect each one of our local schools. These downward revisions having effect as from the 21st day of April last.

About forty per cent of the school inspectors have been released from the service.

Grants to rural schools have been reduced from \$1.00 to 90c per teaching day, and from 50c to 25c for one room where instruction is given above the eighth grade.

The 20c per day to a newly organized school is now only given for the first two years.

The \$3.00 per day for each day the senior room is kept open is reduced to \$2.00 per day.

The 50c per day for senior rooms having pupils above grade eight is now only 25c.

The provision for non-payment of fees by non-resident pupils has been struck out.

The grant for senior rooms equipped for community purposes and the grant for conveyance of pupils have been struck out.

The grant of 50 per cent of the Board's expenditure on school gardens equipment for elementary agriculture manual training and household economics has been struck out.

The grant for teachers residence, lunches and community school have been struck out.

The grant to village districts having a senior room is reduced from \$2.50 per day to \$1.35.

The grant of 50c per day to rural schools teaching grade 9 has been reduced from 50c to 25c per day.

The grant for secondary education (evening classes, etc.) have been reduced from \$2.00 to \$1.00 per day, and other reductions made, also the payment of fees by the students made compulsory.

No reductions have been made in the Educational Tax nor the Supplementary Revenue Tax payable by all local ratepayers, and from which the government obtains the money to pay the above grants.

GRASSHOPPERS

The serious infestation of grasshoppers this year is confined to the areas in the eastern half of the province from the international border to as far north as Coronation. There is also a report of serious infestation in the Grande Prairie district. So far as other districts are concerned, the infestation is not nearly so serious as last year, and although some poisonous on anything like the scale of last season. The campaign in the seriously infested areas is well underway, and vigorous steps are being taken to combat the pest.

CHAUVIN SPORTS DAY: JULY 4th

Chauvin Annual Sports will be held on Wednesday, July 4th. Posters are already out with a full program of sports and events.

Big Baseball Tournament; 1st prize \$100.00, 2nd \$40.00 Entrance fee \$5.00

Basketball; 1st prize, \$15.00; 2nd \$5.00. Horse races, prizes 1st \$25.00 2nd \$10.00. Pony Race 1st \$15.00; 2nd \$10.00. Ladies Race 1st \$10.00; 2nd \$5.00. Obstacle Race—real fun—1st \$3.00; 2nd \$2.00; 3rd \$1.00. Horse shoe 1st \$5.00; 2nd \$3.00;

A full program of Athletic events for all.

Dempsey-Gibbons fight by radio. You will hear it on the loudspeaker.

The attractions for the evening will include a Picture Show and after the show at 10 o'clock sharp a dance.

A day of enjoyment from start to finish Don't miss any event.

Reduced Rates For Livestock In Effect

Reduced stocker rates for livestock shipped from public yards at Edmonton and Calgary will apply on both Canadian Pacific and Canadian National railway lines according to information received by the Edmonton Stockyards limited. The new tariff went into effect on June 15th. Under the new scale, the rate will be 50 per cent of the charge on handling regular livestock shipments and applies to animals shipped for breeding purposes.

Alberta Railway Construction Plans

The Canadian National Railways will spend \$3,841,000 in railway branch line construction in the Province of Alberta, according to the program being authorized at Ottawa, for this year.

Ribstone W.I. Notes

A special meeting of the Ribstone Women's Institute will be held in the Hall on Wednesday, June 27th at 2-30 p.m. to make final arrangements for the lawn Social to be held July 3rd. Watch for further announcements.

The regular meeting will be held July 7th at 2.30 at the home of Mrs. McCrea, Constituency Convener and Sec., Mrs. Lasell and Mrs. Morrison of Wainwright will be present. Everybody made welcome.

Fishers Chauvin Bread is delicious.

Britain Leads In Breeding

There is no other country in the world that can compare with the British Isles in number and variety of breeds of domestic animals.

Take cattle. The Duke of Hamilton still preserves wild cattle which are said to be direct descendants of the ancient British breed. Absolutely different animals from the big red Devons of the south-west, yet equally different from whitefaced short-horned Herefords.

Both of these vary enormously from the shaggy horn-horned Highland cattle. Yet Highland cattle are only so by adoption, for originally they came from England, the herd from which they descended having been a part of the dowry of Princess Margaret Tudor when she married James IV. of Scotland. The real Highland

cattle are the Polled Angus, which are hornless.

If you want to find a complete contrast to any of the cattle mentioned, you have it in the small sleek deer-headed Jerseys, which give such wonderfully rich milk, or in the Kerry cattle, which are the smallest of all.

Turn to horses. Could you find any two breeds more different than the tiny Shetland pony and the huge Suffolk Punch? The original Shetland breed is said to have come from Norway, but has long since become smaller, stockier, and in every way different.

Devonshire has two completely different races of ponies, the Dartmoor and the Exmoor. The former is high-wheeled, ewe-necked and lanky; the latter is almost as stocky as the Shetland pony.

Abandoned by the Romans

The Welsh pony, one of the best in the world, is said to have inherited its fine shape and staying qualities from horses left behind by the Romans when they abandoned Britain.

Scotland has its Galloway nags, believed to inherit a Spanish strain, while the Fetlar Island breed of ponies undoubtedly possess Arab blood.

All the best terriers belong to this country, and so do most other sporting dogs. We have dozens of different strains of sheep, and nearly all the best pigs originated in these islands.

Even cats may be included, for it remained for the Isle of Man to produce a cat without a tail.

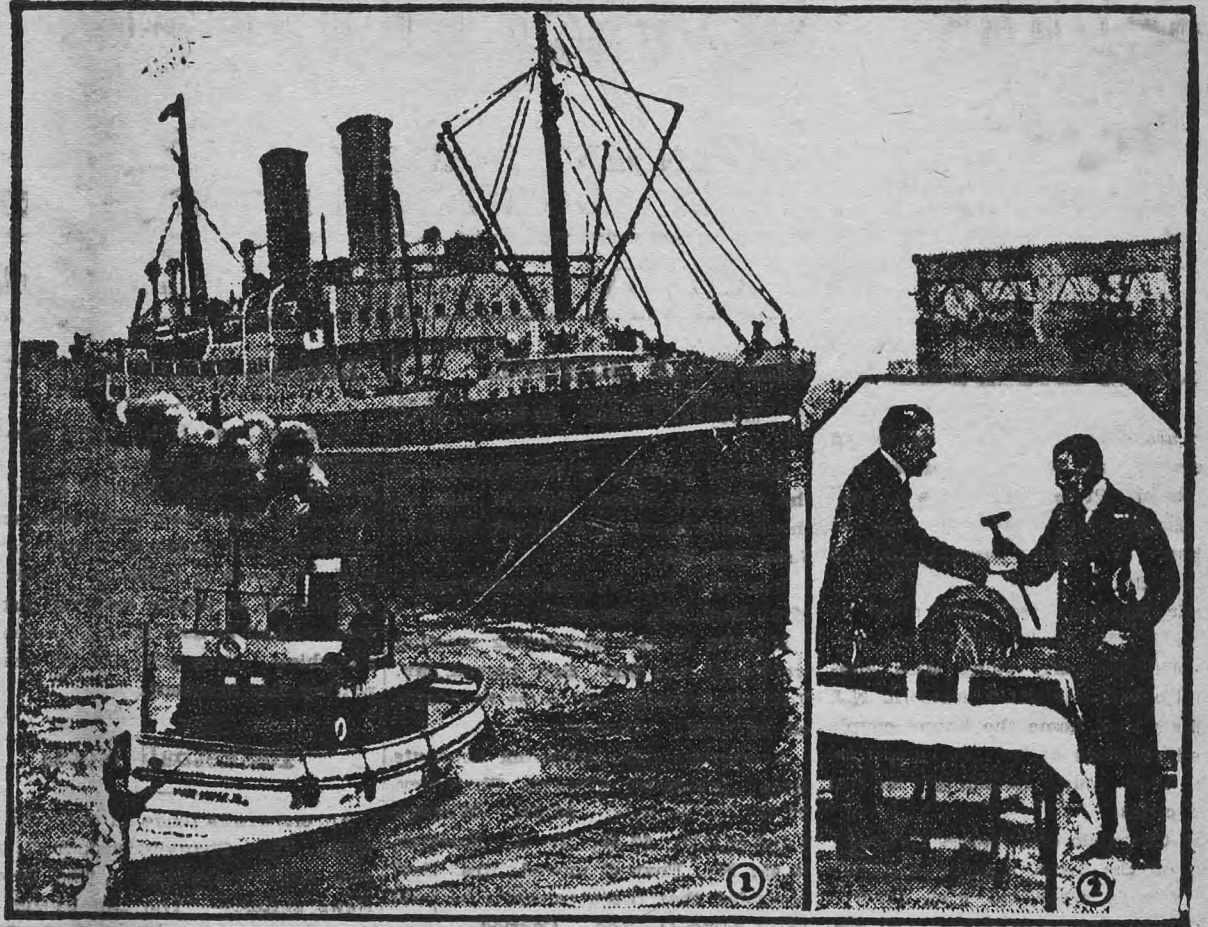
(Note:— The author of this brief article has necessarily omitted numbers of breeds, prominent among which is the Clydesdale horse—Editor).

THE PRODUCE MERCHANTS ACT

Dealers and merchants who come within the scope of the above Act are reminded that licenses should be taken out promptly. The license year runs from the first of May until the 30th of April following. Application forms and licenses can be obtained from the Department of Agriculture, Edmonton. Those subject to these provisions of the Act are dealers in any agricultural product or farm produce, including cattle, sheep, swine, poultry, eggs, vegetables, fruits, butter and butter fat, milk, live stock feeds and hides. The Act does not apply to any person bonded under The Canada Grain Act, or The Live Stock and Live Stock Products Act, nor to any retail merchant in respect of the transaction of his ordinary business.

ADVERTISE—IT PAYS

Montreal Honors First Skipper in Port



1. C.P.S.S. Montrose bringing first passengers to Montreal, 1923 Season. 2. Captain Edmund Alkman, Commander of the Bollingbroke.

TWENTY years ago Montreal was but a "mere calling place for ships." It had practically no modern cargo-handling devices or equipment, its wharf sheds were just wooden shacks which were actually taken down in winter to prevent them being blown away, and much of the merchandise was stored in the open air at the mercy of the wind and weather. Now Montreal is the greatest port of Canada and it is the best located. From a mere riverside stopping place for ships, it has stepped into the front rank of ocean ports, and has become equipped with facilities for the accommodation of ships and for the handling and storing of freight that are unrivalled on the continent. Despite the fact that Canada has less than 10,000,000 population and that the United States has more than 110,000,000, Montreal now handles a greater volume of business than any port on the American continent with the solitary exception of New York.

The principal reasons for Montreal's supremacy are the fact that it is nearly one thousand miles inland from the ocean, at the head of deep water navigation with direct access to the Atlantic, and that behind it is

a through route right up to the head of the Lakes at the Twin Cities, a thousand miles further inland. Were it an all year port, Montreal would be the chief one of the continent, but for some months winter closes the beautiful St. Lawrence route, and the vessels fretting at the mouth of the great river must wait until the ice goes out in the spring before they can make their way westward.

About fifty years ago, the Harbor Master originated the idea of presenting a tall silk hat to the captain of the first vessel to arrive in the spring with a transatlantic ship. This custom was observed for about thirty-five years, then, as the top hats lost their popularity, a gold headed cane was presented instead by the Harbor Commission.

This year the cane was presented to Captain Edmund Alkman, of the Canadian Pacific S.S. Bollingbroke who had just completed his first voyage in command. The Bollingbroke left London for Montreal on April 9th, calling at Antwerp en-route, arriving three hours ahead of her nearest competitor on May 3rd. The liner "Montrose" of the same line, the first passenger vessel to reach the port in 1923, arrived two days after.

HOG PASTURE

Hog pastures are valuable in pig feeding, both for the young, growing pigs and for the brood sow and her litter.

Sows that have the run of a good pasture, particularly if the ground has been kept free from vermin, are less likely to cause digestive troubles in the young pigs through the milk than are those confined in pens or allowed only the run of a dry lot. The small yards close to the piggery are liable to become infested with vermin, and this is certain to cause serious losses in the young pigs, while ground that is used for pasture is comparatively free from these parasites, particularly if worked up and seeded freshly at least every two years.

It is particularly important to have this fresh, lush pasture available as early as possible in the spring, so that the sows and their litters may be turned out for exercise and feed as soon as the young pigs are old enough. Fall rye is the first pasture available, and has a distinct advantage for early spring use over all other pastures on this account.

Alfalfa provides the most desirable permanent pasture, and also produces good succulent growth for a longer time than perhaps any other. Some of the annual pastures furnish more feed for a short time, but none of them have the length of season that alfalfa has; though rape will provide more feed during the late fall than alfalfa. Care must be taken to ring the pigs before turning them onto alfalfa or any permanent pasture; otherwise, they will root it up and destroy the stand.

Sweet clover has so far not been used as a hog pasture at Indian Head in direct comparison, i.e., where the hogs had no access to other pastures. One season a plot of it was grown along with a plot of alfalfa, and the

pigs would not eat the sweet clover as long as the alfalfa was available.

The grasses are better than bare ground, but do not compare with alfalfa either in carrying capacity or palatability.

In a test made in 1922 of oats, barley, rye and mixtures of these, compared with rape, the barley produced the greatest gains but the time during which pasture was available on it was comparatively short and growth was so rapid that the hogs waster a good deal of it by tramping. Rape was next in order of profit produced, and excelled all the gains in the length of time pasture was available; so that it may be taken as being the most suitable of any of the pastures in the comparison. Oats and barley mixed together, was the next in order of profit; and the oats alone followed closely. All these pastures were palatable and gave good returns. The addition of rye to either the barley or oats increased the length of time pasture was available but seemed to decrease palatability and, as a result, profit per acre derived from their use.

A large number of other crops make fair hog pastures, but the seed of those used is readily available anywhere and they are sufficiently valuable to make them profitable for use wherever hogs are raised.

In some countries frogs are used as barometers. The species employed for this purpose is the green tree frog. They are placed in tall glass bottles with little wooden ladders, to the top of which they clumb in fine weather, descending at the approach of bad.

Genius is the faculty for finding people to do the work you should do for yourself.

Give a girl too much to do and she breaks down; give a boy too much to do and he doesn't do it!

CHURCH NOTICES

RIBSTONE FIELD

SUNDAYS, JUNE 10th & 24th
1 a.m., Green Glade
3 p.m., Sulphur Springs
7.30 p.m., La Pearl
SUNDAYS, JUNE 3rd & 17th
11 a.m., Bloomington Valley
3 p.m., Prospect Valley
7.30 p.m., Ribstone

All cordially Welcomed

Preacher .. Rev. William Mitchelson

EGLISE DU SACRE COEUR CHAUVIN

Basse Masse 8.30 a.m.
Grande Masse 10.30 a.m.
Rev. Pere Huet Curate

CHAUVIN FIELD

EVERY SUNDAY

Sunday School 9.45 a.m.
Divine Worship 7.30 p.m.
Sundays 10th and 17th, Edinlassie
Killarney and Chauvin
Sunday June 24th: Prosperity, Airlie, and Chauvin

CHAUVIN ANGLICAN FIELD

Sundays—3rd, 10th, 17th, and 24th of June, 11. a.m. Chauvin.
Sunday 10th—3.30 p.m. Ribstone.
Sunday 17th 3.00 p.m. Chauvin (U.F.A. Service).
Sunday 24th 3.30 p.m. Fram (G.G.A. Service).

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RIBSTONE SUNDAY

Sunday School 1 p.m.
Preaching Service 2 p.m.
WEDNESDAY
Social Service 7.30 p.m.

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OUR SHORT STORY

LAVENDER SATIN

The Basset house fronted directly upon the sidewalk, and the living room windows were on a level with the eye of the passers-by. Myra Basset was very particular about keeping the curtains well over the windows, but her mother liked to have them drawn aside. Mrs. Basset gently refused to share Myra's opinion that people took advantage of the drawn curtains to spy into the intimacies of the Basset home life. She liked to sit by the window not only to "see the folks pass" but to answer to their bows and greetings.

Catherine was to be married a week from that day. The Basset living room was astir with the flurry of work upon her outfit. Her mother Mrs. Lucy Cooper, was stitching furiously on the sewing machine. Catherine herself sat at one of the windows, embroidering. There was a serene happiness upon her face. Now and then she glanced dreamily across the street at a little bungalow that was just being completed. She was to live there after her marriage.

The clatter of the sewing machine filled the room. Now and then Mrs. Basset nodded cheerily to some one on the sidewalk, or squinted nearsightedly at a passing wagon or automobile. Suddenly she cried, "There, Cath'rine look quick! Ain't that Will goin' by in his auto? He's lookin' round!"

As Catherine leaned eagerly toward the window, a soft glow spread over her face. She waved her hand vigorously.

"It's Will and his mother and grandmother," she announced happily, as she took up her work again. "He said they were going to ride this afternoon. He wanted me to go, too, but I thought I had better get this embroidery done."

"You'd ought to have gone," Mrs. Basset said. "I would have done you good. You're workin' too steady."

Catherine glanced at her mother, bending over the sewing machine, and made no reply.

The afternoon wore on. The long drawn whistle of a train sounded through the quiet of the village.

"There's the five-o'clock train," Mrs. Basset said. "Catherine, you'd better begin supper dear. Aunt Myra will be here soon now."

Putting away her work, Catherine went into the kitchen.

After a while the big yellow station omnibus came lumbering down the hill. It drew up at the Basset house, and a tall, thin woman, with her arms full of package, stepped out. She paid the driver and came into the house.

Mrs. Basset and Mrs. Cooper put down their work. Myra laid her packages on the table and began to take off her hat and gloves.

"Did you have a good day, Myra?" Mrs. Cooper asked.

"Yes, I did real good. I'll show you what I got. Catherine, come see what I bought."

Catherine came eagerly in from the kitchen, and they all gathered round Myra, who began to unwrap her packages.

"There, here's the lace. Isn't that a perfect match? And here's the ribbon." Triumphant Myra exhibited her purchases of things to complete Catherine's trousseau. Catherine exclaimed rapturously over everything. Mrs. Cooper examined the fabrics judiciously. Mrs. Basset stood eagerly peering over Mrs. Cooper's broad shoulders. She kept glancing from the purchases to Cath-

erine's glowing face, and exclaiming, "My! My!"

"And here," said Myra, as she took up the last package, "I found a special sale of satin, so I got some to make a dress for mother to wear at the wedding. I know we decided we wouldn't afford one for her just now, but I saw this piece so cheap and I said to myself, 'Will's grandmother'll come to the wedding dressed fit to kill and I'm not going to have it said that Catherine's grandmother didn't look every bit as good'."

Myra opened the package and proudly displayed a piece of shining lavender satin. Catherine exclaimed over it enthusiastically. Mrs. Cooper fingered it doubtfully. A look almost of horror transfixed Mrs. Basset's face. She glanced at Myra as if she were thinking that it must be some joke.

"Well, Lucy?" Myra asked sharply of Mrs. Cooper, whose pursed lips and lifted eyebrows argued ill for the coveted approval.

"Hum," Mrs. Cooper replied, "It's a nice piece of satin, but seemed to me a pale gray would be more suitable for mother."

"Pale gray! Dear land, everybody knows lavender's just the color for old ladies. Will's grandmother's got a dress just this shade and everyone knows how stylish she is! What do you say mother?"

Mrs. Basset looked distressed—Even pale gray would have been a decided innovation in her frugal, sombre-hued wardrobe, but lavender—

"Ain't it a mite, just a little mite, too gay," she said timidly.

"Gay! Goodness! sakes, mother, don't you know the time's past when old ladies thought they had to go round looking like chief mourners at a fun'ra. Well, I must say, after a body's shopped as hard as I have all day, to come home and be told what they got isn't right is pretty hard!"

Folding the satin angrily, Myra marched off to the spare room with it.

Sleeping and walking, Mrs. Basset was haunted by that lavender satin. It overshadowed her joy in Catherine's

happiness. The thought of wearing it filled her with shrinking horror. To appear before the world dressed in anything that to her modest, old-fashioned ideas seemed so hideously inappropriate would somehow class her, she felt with those persons rouged their cheeks and dyed their hair. It would not be "nice". She saw herself decked in all the blatant shining maze of lavender, standing out among the wedding guests in glaring conspicuousness. She imagined them nudging one another and whispering about "how giddy Mrs. Basset was getting in her old age." She found no joy in the thought that she would be as well dressed as Will's grandmother. She had always secretly considered Will's grandmother as "flashy."

A day or two after the purchase of the lavender satin, Myra spread the fashion books out on the living-room table. "Come, mother," she said, "we must decide how to make your dress."

"Aren't you coming?" Myra asked sharply.

"Myra," Mrs. Basset murmured timidly, "I was just a-thinkin' Lucy's so busy now makin' things for Cath'rine it seems too bad to trouble her to make my dress. Why couldn't I wear my black cashmere to the weddin'? It's just as good as 'twas the day 'twas bought, and I'd feel 'nough sight more comfortable in it."

"O mother go to the wedding in that old thing that you've had five years if it's a day? I guess not! And Will's folks all dressed to kill! Do you want us to be ashamed of you? Come, now sit down and we'll find a way to make your dress."

Mrs. Basset sat down at the table while Myra turned the leaves of the fashion books. Page after page of airy beauties fluttered before Mrs. Basset's bewildered eyes.

"There," Myra said at last, pointing to a figure, "how's that, mother?"

Mrs. Basset gave a little gasp of dismay. "O Myra, that's so fancy and— and giddy lookin'."

"Fancy! Why, that's plain as can be! Of course Lucy won't make it as short

as the picture shows, and you've got to allow for it's being on a young girl, but otherwise it's just the thing."

Mrs. Basset looked at the plate in distress. "No, no, Myra, I don't like that. Why can't Lucy use the pattern I've got?"

"Mother! Why, you've been using that pattern the last twenty years, I do believe! Look, Lucy what do you think of this for mother's dress? Isn't it about right?"

Myra took the book over to Mrs. Cooper who sat at the sewing machine and for a few moments the sisters discussed the appropriateness of the style that Myra had selected.

"Yes, that'll be all right," Mrs. Cooper decided, turning back to her stitching. "I'll cut the dress tomorrow, Myra."

It seemed to Mrs. Basset during the next few days that she was continually trying on the despised lavender satin. She came to hate it intensely. She felt ashamed and hideously self-conscious when she had it on. All the later years of her life she had worn black or sombre grays and browns. Everything she had ever owned she had bought with a strict eye to particibility and economy. This lavender satin seemed fairly wicked in its gorgeous extravagance of color and material.

The style of its making did not prove quite so outrageous as Mrs. Basset had feared, but it was bad enough with its fluffy fichu and the ruffles that hung over her hands. Mrs. Basset had never before owned a dress in which she could not at least wash dishes. Her sleeves were always made so that they could be unfastened at the wrist and turned up out of reach of dishwater. The ruffles in the sleeves of the lavender satin were shamefully useless and embarrassing.

At last the dress was done and spread out on the spare-room bed. It filled all Mrs. Basset's thoughts. She was continually seeing herself dressed in it, the shamed, embarrassed focus of the eyes of all the wedding guests. Two nights before the wedding she could not sleep for thinking of it. She tossed and turned restlessly.

"P'raps it ain't quite so bad as I think for," she thought, trying to comfort herself. "P'raps it ain't quite such a bright color as I thought. P'raps I just think it's terr'ble bright."

She could not rest until she satisfied herself about it. She rose and, lighting a candle, tiptoed carefully down the hall to the spare room. There on the bed lay the lavender dress.

"Oh, 'tis awful bright!" she murmured. "I don't see how I'm ever a-goin' to wear it! I don't see how I can!"

She held the candle nearer to get a better view. Somehow her hand trembled, and a great drop of melted wax splashed down on the shining satin. She stood horrified. Right on the front of the skirt was the great dark spot of grease. She moved to the door—she must call Myra and Lucy and tell them. What would they say! she opened the door to call; but suddenly she paused. She drew herself up to her full height and flung her head back defiantly.

"I'm glad I done it!" she declared fiercely. "I'm glad I spoiled the old dress, so there! I don't care if it cost a fortune; I'm glad it's spoiled!"

Then a gloriously happy thought occurred to her.

"I can't wear it with that spot on, nohow. I won't be able to wear it to the weddin'! I'll have to wear my black cashmere. And I'm glad! To-morrow I'll tell 'em this dress is spoilt. No I won't tell 'em neither; they might be able to get it cleaned in time. I won't say anything at all about it till just before the weddin'. I don't care if 'tis wicked; I ain't a-goin' to wear that fluff of giddiness for nobody! I guess I've got some rights of my own!"

But Mrs. Basset's triumph over the injury to the lavender dress was not satisfying. It was good of Myra to buy the dress for her, and now it was ruined. Mrs. Basset felt miserably guilty about it.

"I s'pose if they couldn't get the grease out Lucy could put a dab of lace or somethin' over it," she said to herself. "But I don't care, I'm not a-goin' to tell! I'm a-goin' to wear that dress for nobody!"

On that busy, flurried day before the wedding Mrs. Barret's sense of guilt added zest to her efforts to assist in the preparations. She was everyone's helper; she was here; there and everywhere. She humbly, almost thankfully, took to herself many a sharp rebuke or brusque criticism. By afternoon she was woefully tired.

"Come, grandma," Catherine said. "You look about done up. Don't you want to go over to the bungalow with me? The painters have just left, and I want to see what they've done, and lock up."

"Why, Catherine, I'd be glad to!"

The new house was a wonderful place to Mrs. Basset. She hardly dared step upon the glistening hardwood floors. On tiptoe she followed Catherine through the empty echoing rooms. She softly touched the shining woodwork. She was breathless before the glory of the many closets and the convenient little kitchen.

"My, my!" she kept saying in an awed undertone. "Ain't it complete, though? Ain't it just complete?"

"I'm glad you like it, grandma," Catherine said, as she locked the front door. "You're coming to see me every day, and sometimes you must stay for real overnights."

Mrs. Basset's face beamed with pleasure. "Why, that's real nice! I'd like

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Keeth arrived at Warsaw he was conducted by the Canadian Pacific Railway to Antwerp.

There he was given a ticket almost as long as himself which would carry him through to his destination. Crossing to England he sailed on the "Metagama," being, from the time he left Warsaw, under the care of the Canadian Pacific. The direct mileage from Milwaukee to Uscilug is not by any means the full mileage of his travels. The ship's officers estimate that he ran at least twenty miles a day over the vessel, and the port officials had an anxious time when he made surreptitious peregrinations in search of someone who spoke his own tongue. He was glad, of course, to meet his father, but what an adventure it is to travel far and alone!



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EDITORIAL COMMENT

A problem of considerable difficulty is presented to each of our local school boards by the drastic reductions in all grants made by the Alberta government for educational purposes. This, with the difficulties of financing and carrying on by reason of the enormous amounts of arrears of taxes, places our schools in a difficult position.

We all agree that the schools MUST be carried on. This means that stronger steps must be taken regarding arrears of taxes. It means also that payment of fees by non-resident pupils must be enforced. And should all these steps be carried out it remains a matter of doubt whether or not present standards can be maintained. In fact, it is too much to expect of our school boards that they can be successful in maintaining present standards without recourse to increased taxation.

A downward revision of teacher's

may easily result in many of the best teachers leaving the profession and a lowered efficiency of the profession generally to the detriment of the standard of education.

Reductions of grants for equipment of different description is bound to result in schools steadily losing their efficiency.

At the same time the government is giving us no relief in the taxes we all pay towards these grants.

We are forced to confront the fact that a serious blow has been struck at the education of our children. Our children, mind you, not the children of the rich who can afford to be free of the public school.

We are now taking a re-actionary step, it remains to be seen how long it will be before we can recover from this, and how much longer it will take to make the progress in our education that we all so keenly desire and that is so necessary to equip our children for their future avocations.

A Promise And A Token

I gazed upon a dollar bill,
'Twas sadly worn and frayed.
—A promise by the government
That one dollar should be paid.

Nought cared I for the promise made
—Which redeemed may never be—
My faith, like your's, was very great.
One dollar it was, to me.

For that green bill must I obtain
The utmost from fellow man?
Shall avarice and greed make me
Sweat from it all I can?

Some think it's right in life's stern
strife
That they scheme and plan for more,
Thinking little and caring less,
Depleting their brother's store.

'Twere better in that bill to see
Of brother's toil, a token.
Pausing, reflect upon his work
Before the bill is broken.

Maybe I dream, but it does seem
Dollars would more gladness bring;
Did we, at all times, see in them
A brother's toil and suffering.

—L. D'A., Chauvin

Artland Sewing Club

All arrangements are now complete for the Sale of Work to be held in Artland school on Saturday afternoon June 23rd. There will be a nice variety of ladies aprons and childrens dresses, also a home cooking sale, home made candies, and ice cream from the Edmonton City Dairy. Come and bring a friend and encourage the ladies in their work. Don't forget the date June 23rd, Rain or Shine.

L. D. S. Conference At Ribstone: June 22 to 24 SAINTS CHURCH RIBSTONE

June 21st at 8 p.m. Introductory sermon.

June 22nd Department Day; beginning with Sunday School, Prayer Meeting at 9 a.m. and ending with an Educational Entertainment at 8 p.m.

June 23rd Conference Day; Beginning with Preaching Service at 8 p.m.

June 24th Ministerial Day; Beginning with Communion Service at 9 a.m. and ending with Preaching Service at 8 p.m.

General Church Ministry expected to be present are Eld. J. Rushton—Quorum of Twelve, Eld. J. Pycock—Missionary Supervisor, Ed. Wm. Osler—District President.

A cordial invitation to all to meet with us.

Never fear to do what you think is right, even though you may fear others may think it wrong.

HERE AND THERE

Smoking compartments are to be provided in the new wooden winged monoplane for use on the London-Amsterdam-Berlin air route.

301,980,268 feet of lumber were produced from mills in the Ottawa Valley last season as against 238,116,764 feet in the 1921-1922 season.

Last season's grain shipments through the port of Montreal exceeded 153,000,000 bushels. Revenues reached \$3,460,810 providing a surplus of \$266,362.

Forest rangers of the Quebec and New Brunswick forestry departments will co-operate to the extent of covering fires on either side of the provincial border.

Two thousand maple and one thousand green ash trees, natives of Saskatchewan, were shipped to the Canadian War Memorial Park at Poperinghe, Belgium, recently.

Vancouver is to have direct consular trade relations with Spain. A vice-consulate has been established there which embraces the prairie provinces and is the only one west of Montreal.

During the year 1922 boring operations for the discovery of oil and gas in Alberta were continued to the extent of 230,000 feet, resulting in the discovery and development of a field with an output of 180,000,000 feet per day.

Despite reports of adverse conditions in the prairie provinces, Saskatchewan officials estimate that after paying all expenses the farmers of that province last year had \$100,000,000 in net proceeds to apply on debts.

In 1906, in Iowa, a single head of oats was selected as being a desirable variety. In thirteen years this single head had multiplied to the extent that 1,500,000 acres were sown to it and showed an increased production of 6,500,000 bushels.

One of the largest timber sales that the Canadian Pacific Railway has made in several months has just been made on Vancouver Island. A group of Seattle lumbermen have acquired 12,000 acres of timber land at Horne Hill. The timber on this stand exceeds 200,000,000 feet.

Part of the plans for keeping the St. Lawrence open all winter submitted by Dimitry Jonavici, Roumanian engineer, to the Federal and Provincial Governments would call for the erection of a nine mile dam at the east end of Belle Isle strait, which would prevent the cold currents from the north entering the river.

The Bungalow Camps to be opened this year by the Canadian Pacific Railway in the French River, Nipigon and Lake of the Woods districts of Ontario will consist of a community house, containing a dining room with stone fireplace, surrounded by several double and single bungalows comfortably furnished for the accommodation of from one to four persons. A number of canvas houses will also be used.

The official opening of the Banff-Windermere Highway will take place on June 30th at Kootenay crossing, B.C. Motorists from all over Alberta, British Columbia and the Western States will be present in large numbers. A lunch will be provided for several thousand people at Kootenay Crossing. Prominent representatives will be present from the Canadian and United States Governments and from provincial and state governments on both sides of the line. The official opening will be marked by the cutting of red white and blue ribbons stretched across the roadway.

A jersey cow, the property of Mr. E. Maxwell of Montreal, has broken all Canadian records for butter production for one single year. This cow produced 1,002 lbs. of butter fat in one year.

The ancient Egyptians made coffins of cork.

CHURCH NOTE

All Anglicans in or around Chauvin who are desirous of having their children baptized are requested to communicate with me as soon as possible, since arrangements are being made for a clergyman to come from Saskatoon for the purpose of Holy Baptism.

Those who are desirous of being confirmed, or require any information in this matter, are also requested to communicate as soon as possible with me, so that the necessary arrangements can be made. All Anglicans are asked to think of the importance of Baptism, Confirmation, and to act accordingly.

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LOCAL NOTES

At the Anglican service held in the Union Church, Chauvin, last Sunday morning, the Rev. H. Wallace, Secretary-Treasurer of the Diocese of Saskatchewan, was the preacher. His address, which was full of hope and inspiration, was delivered with a quiet humour which was apparant to many.

Holy Communion was celebrated after morning prayer, when the Rev. Wallace acted as celebrant, and administered the sacrament.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Price are paying a honeymoon visit to their parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Price.

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Support home industry. Rhubarb, Cabbage, tomato and strawberry plants for sale at Saker's. All raised locally.

The Airlie U.F.A. and Athletic Association will hold a Basket Picnic at the Airlie school on Wednesday, July 11th. All kinds of sports for young and old. Dance at night.

G. Reynolds will hold an Auction sale of household effects, the property of L. Rafatte, on Saturday June 23rd at 2.00 p.m. All goods to be sold for cash. Don't mss this sale.

Edward H. Campbell, Ridgeclough has been appointed Justice of the Peace.

U.F.A. Service was held at Ridgeclough at the home of Mrs. L. Moffatt on Sunday last, which was well attended. Rev. G. Gourlay conducted the service. The next service will be held at the home of L. B. Nicholson on Sunday July 1st All are welcome.

Housekeepers are advised that fresh fish arrives in Chauvin from Prince Rupert on Mondays. A fish meal at least once a week is both pleasant and healthful.

Owing to the wet weather which prevailed on Friday last, the Masquerade Ball which was to have taken place on that evening was indefinitely postponed.

Miss Ellen Borregaard, who is training for the nursing profession is home for vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. M. McCrea of Ribstone were guests at the Editor's home on Sunday last.

Mr. Belyea, government official has been spending a short time at Dina, Alberta.

Real Santes Coffee just off the roasters. Whole beans or ground. Five pounds for \$1.80. A Saker grocery price.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Gabrielson, and Mr. and Mrs. A. Gabrielson of Fram district were visitors to Chauvin, on Monday last.

Mr. L. B. Nicholson made a business trip to Chauvin, Monday.

Captain N. A. Gianelli, of Lord Strathcona Horse (R.C.) has been spending a week in Chauvin in connection with the School of Instruption.

Stinkweed is reported to be on the increase in parts of this district. Owing to its early seeding it very difficult to eradicate, and may easily be come a serious pest.

There will be a meeting of the Airlie U.F.A. and Athletic Association Friday, July 6th in the Airlie school at 8 p.m.

By the way. Don't forget that the Chauvin Sports will be held Wednesday July 4th. You can't afford to miss that date.

Mrs. Sutherland and daughter have returned from their visit to the States.

Mr. T. Kitching, of Artland was a visitor to Chauvin yesterday. He reports considerable improvement in the crop prospects in the Artland district.

The strawing of the road south from town has been well done and is a great help to traffic.

Manitou Lake Picnic

The Manitou Lake Annual Picnic will be held on Saturday June 30th. on the usual grounds by the lake.

An exceptionally full program of sports and events for young and old is being arrange by energetic and able committees.

Baseball and Football tournaments, Auto Races, Horse Races, Athletic Athletic events, Tug-o'-War, Bathing and Bathing are amongst the attractions for the amusement of every one besides the natural attraction of the scenery which makes Manitou Lake an ideal spot to spend a day picnicing.

Lunch and refreshments will be served on the grounds. Come and spend a long day of enjoyment.

For itemized events, see posters.

Freshwater Stampede

Don't miss the Stampede which is to be held on Wednesday, June 27th at Freshwater Lake., 3 miles south of Salt Lake, commencing at 1.30.

The attractions will include Busking contests, Horse Races, Bucking Steers, Cowboy Race, Pony Race, Swimming Race and Indian Pow-Wow and Dance at Salt Lake at night.

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Business Changes

The Imperial Lumber Company, Chauvin have purchased a considerable quantity of the stock in trade of the Galvin Lumber Co, who have Chauvin Yards

Summer Fairs

The Calgary summer exhibition, stampede and buffalo barbecue will be held July 9-14; Edmonton July 16-21; Saskatoon July 23-27; Regina July 30-August 4. The Canadian National railways will offer special excursion rates to these fairs.

Read our advertisements. Local merchants are offering their wares to you. Patronize them if possible.

WHEAT BOARD

From Winnipeg news despatches we learn that a pronouncement in the matter of the wheat board will probably be made within the next ten days. The names of Maharg and Wood are mentioned as possible heads of the board.

EDGERTON ECHOES

EDGERTON SPORTS

Edgerton Sports Day has come and gone and now we have a chance to ruminate. The day was anything but favorable and the sand blowing off the diamond reminded one of a Sahara sand storm. Ball players were faced with a big task when the first game was called, Doley and Edgerton were the contestants and it was impossible for the players to see but luckily the wind moderated and the play was very good. The home team played a very strong game and won out 4 to 1. ghareasandai

The game between Chauvin and Wainwright was hotly contested. Chauvin looked like real winners and forced Wainwright into an extra inning before accepting defeat; and at that, were defeated on a doubtful decision. The final game between the winners was a joke and the score is too painful to inflict on our readers. Wainwright took first money. In the free-for-all horse race L. Quanty pony ridden by Roy Edmonds was an easy winner with Tim Bazley second. A rather unfortunate and regretable accident to J. Sparrow in the first heat of the potato race seriously mar-

red the balance of the sports. Sparrow's horse rolled on him and he was picked up unconscious and taken to the doctor; however we were pleased to hear that nothing serious had happened. The Ogwanada Girls Club put on a real entertainment in Gorton hall but the real piece of the entertainment was Vivian Wheeler's presentation of Bridget. In that difficult role she was a scream from the time she came on the stage until the curtain. After the show, the Council lers gave nn elaborate display of fire works which was greatly appreciated A dance terminated the day's fun.

Poor old Slim had to take D. Eddlestone and family home from the sports in their car and bring the car back for an overhaul. Slim was in a hurry as he wanted to get back for the dance, but on his way back the gas line broke and he only had to walk eight miles home. Slim missed the dance but he got just as good exercise walking. Slim said he liked it ? ? ? Service has its reward, Slim, so its all right.

Tige is the proud possessor of a real car now and it has a roof on it too. We were a little out of reckoning in our recent 'Echo' about Tige; still at that he did have lots of fun with it and we reported what we saw.

Charlie Murray was anxious to have up put his name in tthe paper last

week when we happened along and saw him talking to a member of the fair sex, but he need not think we are going to give him all the publicity.

Charles Fisher left for Nova Scotia with a carload of delivery horses last Saturday.

Mrs. N. Davidson received the sad news of the death of her father in Scotland on the 29th of May last. Deceased had been in failing health for some time.

Mrs. Joss and family left for Princetown B.C. last Thursday, to join her husband. Mrs. Joss was a great favorite and quite a number were at the station to see her off.

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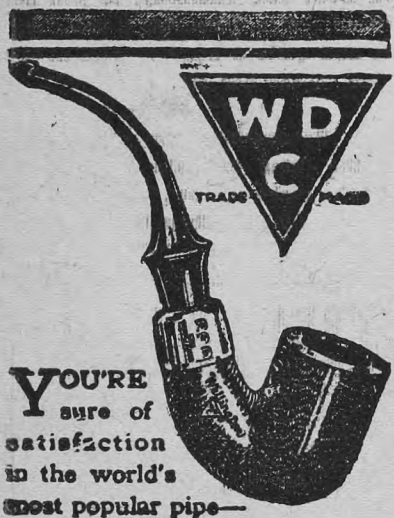
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LAVENDER SATIN

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Catherine drew her grandmother's arm through hers, and they walked across the street. Catherine was always affectionate, but somehow her affection had never touched Mrs Basset as it touched her today, the day before the wedding.

"I hope it will be nice weather tomorrow," said Catherine, looking anxiously at the sky. "Just think tomorrow



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I'll be married, and all the people will be there—Will's people and mine; and I'll love to think you're there, grandma, looking so sweet in that lavender satin."

Mrs Basset started. She half withdrew her arm from Catherine. There was silence for an instant. Then she looked up at Catherine, and her face was beaming with sudden resolution. "Will you, deary?" she said. "Will you?"

That night, when the house was silent, old Mrs Basset stole down the dark hall to the spare room. Setting her candle carefully on the bureau, she took up the lavender dress and with hurried stitches sewed a pleat in the full skirt to conceal the spot of candle grease.

"I guess I can wear this dress for Catherine," she declared vigorously. "I just guess I can. What's it matter if folks do talk about me and I look flashy? I guess 'twon't kill me. I just guess it won't!"

The next day passed like a dream to Mrs Basset. There was a strange unfamiliarity about the decorated rooms. Hurried excited people came and went before her bewildered eyes. The doorbell kept ringing incessantly. Now it was a wedding present to be unwrapped and exclaimed over, now it was a neighbor bringing silver and teacups.

Then somehow the time came for the wedding. Mrs Basset put on the lavender satin and went resolutely down the stairs. Once decided upon her course, it was not for her to hide herself, shamed and timid, upon the outskirts of the wedding party. She stood in the very midst of the wedding guests straight and sure and fine. Her cheeks were flushed, her eyes bright. She was doing this for Catherine. She guessed it would not kill her! She just guessed it would not!

But after a time she forgot the lavender satin. She thought only of Catherine standing there, looking so sweet and happy. Then there came the clatter of congratulations, the confusion of the refreshment serving, the flurry of Catherine's departure. After a time the guests left.

The rooms looked strangely empty and large after everyone had gone. There were wilted flowers and sticky plates and crumpled napkins everywhere. Myra and Mrs. Cooper sank wearily down upon the nearest resting place.

"Well, everything went off all right, anyway," Myra said gloomily.

"Yes, so it did," Mrs Cooper dabbed at her eyes with a damp handkerchief. Mrs Basset stood looking at her sympathetically. She longed to help her in some way to com

would wash the dishes; that was something she could do.

"Now, you two girls just set and rest yourselves," she said. "I'll wash dishes and clear up. You don't need to stir a finger."

Myra looked up quickly. Her eyes were attracted by a dangling thread on the front of her mother's skirt.

"Mercy sakes, mother, you don't mean to say you've had that thread dangling all during the wedding!" She reached forward and gave the thread a jerk. The hurriedly sewed pleat opened and revealed the grease spot.

"Why, mother, look at that spot on the front of that beautiful satin! Why, mother!" Myra's voice was tragic.

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"Here mother," she said, "you let me do those dishes; you're tired. And mother, I'm sorry I made you have that dress when you hated it. You cut it up for carpet rags tomorrow if you want to."

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erine standing there, looking so sweet and happy. Then there came the clatter of congratulations, the confusion of the refreshment serving, the flurry of Catherine's departure. After a time the guests left.

The rooms looked strangely empty and large after everyone had gone. There were wilted flowers and sticky plates and crumpled napkins everywhere. Myra and Mrs. Cooper sank wearily down upon the nearest resting place.

"Well, everything went off all right, anyway," Myra said gloomily.

"Yes, so it did," Mrs Cooper dabbed at her eyes with a damp handkerchief. Mrs Basset stood looking at her sympathetically. She longed to help her in some way to com

would wash the dishes; that was something she could do.

"Now, you two girls just set and rest yourselves," she said. "I'll wash dishes and clear up. You don't need to stir a finger."

Myra looked up quickly. Her eyes were attracted by a dangling thread on the front of her mother's skirt.

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APOLOGIES

An Irishman was waking in the country when an angry bull rushed at him and tossed him over a fence.

The Irishman, recovering from his fall and looking up, saw the bull pawing and tearing the ground. He smiled at the animal and said: "If it was not for your bowing and scraping, and your humble apologies, you brute, I should think you'd thrown me over this fence on purpose."

PRESENCE OF MIND

Pat and Mike were working on a new building. Pat was laying bricks and Mike was carrying the hod. Mike had just come up to the fourth floor when the whistle blew. His lunch was on the ground.

"I hate to walk down after t," he said.

"Take hold of the rope," said Pat, and I'll let you down."

Pat let him down half way and then let go of the rope. Mike landed in the mortar bed not much hurt but terribly scared.

"And why did ye drop the rope?" he demanded.

"I thought it was going to break," said Pat, "and I had the presence of mind to let go."

When the train drew into the station of a certain American town, all the windows open to catch a breath of air, an innocent looking man appeared around the corner of the station, carrying a basket on his arm. Hurrying to the window of a smoking compartment, he exhibited a black quart bottle which he had taken from the basket, and with a knowing wink said:—

"Any gent want a bottle of nice cold tea?"

He sold every bottle, but concluded each sale with, "Better wait till the train has pulled out before you take a drink, you know, for I don't want any trouble."

The train pulled out, and the man was making off when an observant bystander asked him why he had requested the purchasers to wait until the train had started before taking a drink.

"Because," he said, with a sly wink, "them bottles all contained ice-cold tea."

Financier: I'm afraid we couldn't lend you money without security."

Seedy Individual: What security?"

Financier: Well, I should say hand-cuffs!"

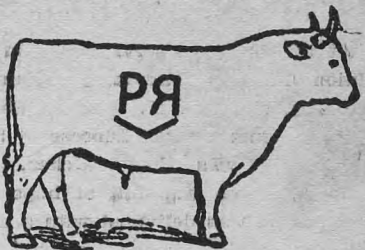
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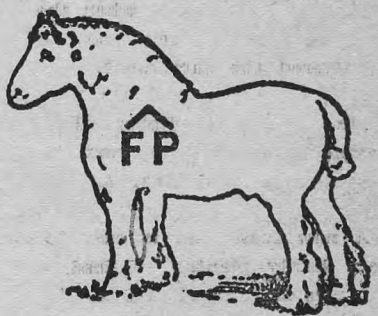
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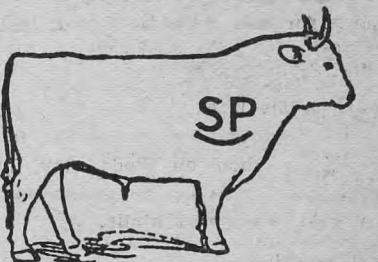
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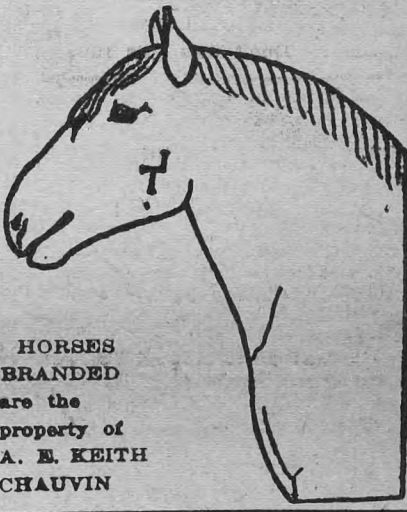


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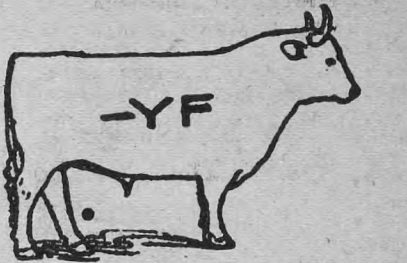


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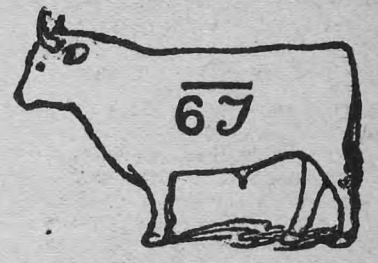
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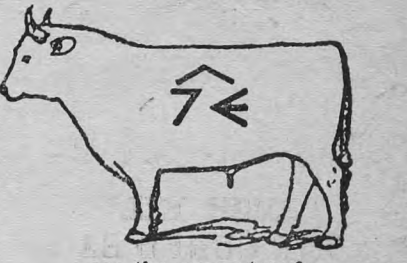
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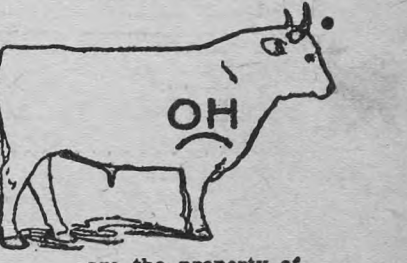
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Here and There

Saskatchewan's crop cost \$187,000,000 to produce last year. The proceeds amounted to \$287,000,000.

During the month of April and the first two weeks of May 200 claims were registered in the counties of Temiskaming and Abitibi, the gold field of the province of Quebec.

"Twenty marriage engagements are among the results of a round-the-world voyage of a C.P.R. liner," Mr. Beatty has a lot to answer for. —Ottawa Journal.

With a population which is over 70 per cent. rural Saskatchewan has a larger automobile registration than any other province. One in every 15 people owns a car.

One of the largest fish caught in the history of Lake Timagimi was recently caught by E. B. Hamlin who, with a small bass hook and light steel rod landed a salmon trout weighing 24 pounds and measuring three feet in length.

In 1920 there were cut in Canada 4,024,826 cords of pulpwood. This would, if piled four feet high and four feet wide, reach in a continuous line over 6,000 miles, or the distance from Vancouver to Halifax, and out over the Atlantic to Queens-town, Ireland.

Trees to the number of 10,000 were distributed among Saskatoon school children by the Parks Officials and Dominion Forestry Branch on the occasion of Arbor Day. Each child received one maple and one ash. Last year only 5,000 trees were distributed.

The Empress of France, of the Canadian Pacific fleet, now on the trans-Atlantic service between Hamburg, Southampton and Cherbourg to Quebec, holds the record for the fastest journey between Quebec and Liverpool, having crossed in 5 days, 22 hours and 38 minutes, just two hours less than the Empress of Britain.

General Sir Arthur Currie will unveil a memorial cairn at Sault Ste. Marie to Etienne Brule and his companion Grennell, the coureurs de bois, who found the Sault and discovered Lake Superior in 1622. The unveiling will take place August 7th during Discovery Week, when the Ojibways will produce "Hiawatha" on two afternoons.

Notwithstanding that there will be an increase this year in Canadian Pacific steamship traffic on the St. Lawrence, with 17 more sailings than in 1922, Canadian Pacific officials report that ships are being well booked and that according to present indications the 1923 season will show improvement in ocean trade from both Montreal and Quebec.

Whales are reported early and plentiful this season and despatches from Victoria state that conditions surrounding the inauguration of the deep-sea hunt this year are the most promising in more than a decade. The demand for canned whale meat has become so pronounced that the prospective pack of the Victorian whalers is already disposed of. England will be the distributing market for canned whale meat this year.

A replica of an old time Hudson's Bay fort, such as once was the nucleus of the western posts of the great company, and which still exist in the far north, will be erected at the Calgary Exhibition grounds, July 9 to 14, as a part of the big Stampede feature. Special arrangements are also being made to provide a commodious camping ground for the Old Timers who will attend with the old-fashioned chuck wagons and cowboy equipment.

Running on schedule the Canadian Pacific Steamship's liner "Empress of Canada," Captain A. J. Halley, again demonstrated her right to the claim of "Queen of the Pacific." The Canadian vessel left Vancouver twenty-four hours behind the American liner "President McKinley" bound for Yokohama recently. The "Empress of Canada" docked about 3 A.M., and the "President McKinley" arrived at 8 A.M.

A school teacher was annoyed by the continued mischievousness of one of her boys.

At last, she exclaimed in exasperation; "I wish I could be your mother for one week."

"Very well, I will speak to father about it," replied the lad coolly.

In a square foot of honeycomb there are 9,000 cells.

What Summer Fires Do To The Soil

There is a right and a wrong time to clear land with fire. The correct time is when the soil is moist.

In 1919 the Dominion Department of the Interior made an experimental spring-burn of land in Northern Alberta. The area chosen was covered with scattered dead and green poplars, three to eight inches, with numerous areas of small windfall and clumps of poplar and willow brush. The spring was an ordinary one. Under these circumstances the cost of clearing was reduced 80 per cent by one fire, yet it was claimed that the soil was not damaged even under the heaviest windfalls, where the fires were hottest.

On the other hand, during the droughty summer of 1922 widespread fires devastated the North Country, killing large areas of merchantable conifers—some on land unfit for agriculture—and, worse still, destroying thousands of acres of vegetable mould, leaving behind a raw, crude subsoil on which only leguminous crops, such as vetch or peavine, could be expected to flourish. For crops other than legumes these hard-burned soils will be unproductive until restored by a long process of upbuilding, in which, by the way, sweet clover might play a useful part. Even the ash left by the fire is liable to be eroded by wind or water, and when this occurs a particularly impoverished soil results, with the denuded subsoil often showing a large percentage of stones, since those are not readily dislodged.

In certain districts of the Peace River country there are raw, hard-burned, rocky knolls or ridges of that character, as well as some draws, where the surface soil is thin. These commonly produce inferior crops.

It requires humus and plenty of it to make a soil completely fertile. The usual five or six inches of fibrous black-loam mould is a heritage of stored-up plant food awaiting the husbandman. Burn this and the soil is poor.

On the garden of Beaverlodge Experimental Station is a patch where sods have been removed for roofing by an early pioneer. Six years of intensive treatment, with repeated heavy applications of manure, have never produced more than half a crop of vegetables on this land. The cream of the fertility had been skimmed off.

Last year thousands upon thousands of acres were likewise stripped by fire. Along the Dunvegan line near Westlock there were fires burning in deep swamp mould, reducing the upper two feet to a fluffy layer of ash. On some of these extra rich peaty soils the immediate effect may possibly be favorable to cropping, but, looking to the future, such a conflagration is wasteful in the same sense as it would be to burn up a coal measure.

Forestry experts properly deplore the annual destruction in Canada of so much merchantable timber by fire. Even more deplorable is it to roast the fatness out of a good agricultural soil.

Let us clear land in the spring with controlled fire, but beware of summer fires as of a plague.

A lad of diminutive size was carrying such a big load of newspapers that a passer-by was moved to pity.

"My boy," he asked, "don't all those papers make you tired?"

"No," replied the boy cheerfully, "I can't read."

The lazy man told a friend that he had been given a responsible job on the railway.

"I'm glad to hear that," said his friend, "What do you do?"

"Well I'm assistant to the man who taps the train wheels to see that they are sound. I help him to listen."

JUST A SMILE

A well-known humourist, while crossing the Atlantic, was leaning over the rail one morning when the information fiend tapped him on the shoulder.

"Sir," said the latter, with a wave of the hand, "do you know that if the earth were flattened out, the sea would be miles deep all over the world?"

The humourist looked impressed.

"Well," he replied, with the vestige of a smile, "if you catch anyone flattening out the earth, shoot him on the spot. I can't swim."

A well known politician, who for the first time in his life was neglecting to shave his upper lip, had just joined the ranks of the opposite party.

At a social function he met a lady of his acquaintance, who greeted him with; "I like your new moustache, Mr. —, as little as your new policy."

"Madam," replied the politician, with a courtly bow, "you are not likely to come into contact with either."

In reply to the query, "How does your husband treat you?" a witness at the Thames Police Court said: "He doesn't treat me at all. He drinks on his own."

Sister's Young Man: "Well, Harold, what do you think you will be when you're a man?"

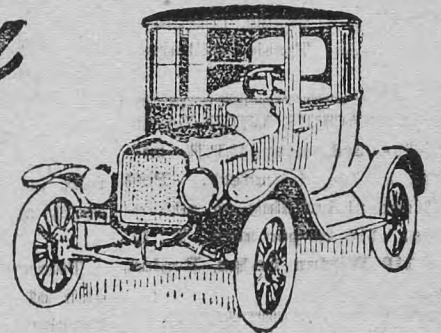
Harold: "Why if you've any pluck, I'll be your brother-in-law."

When asked by his Sunday school teacher if he didn't want to go to Heaven, a little fellow replied:—

"No, thank you. It's not long since I came from there."

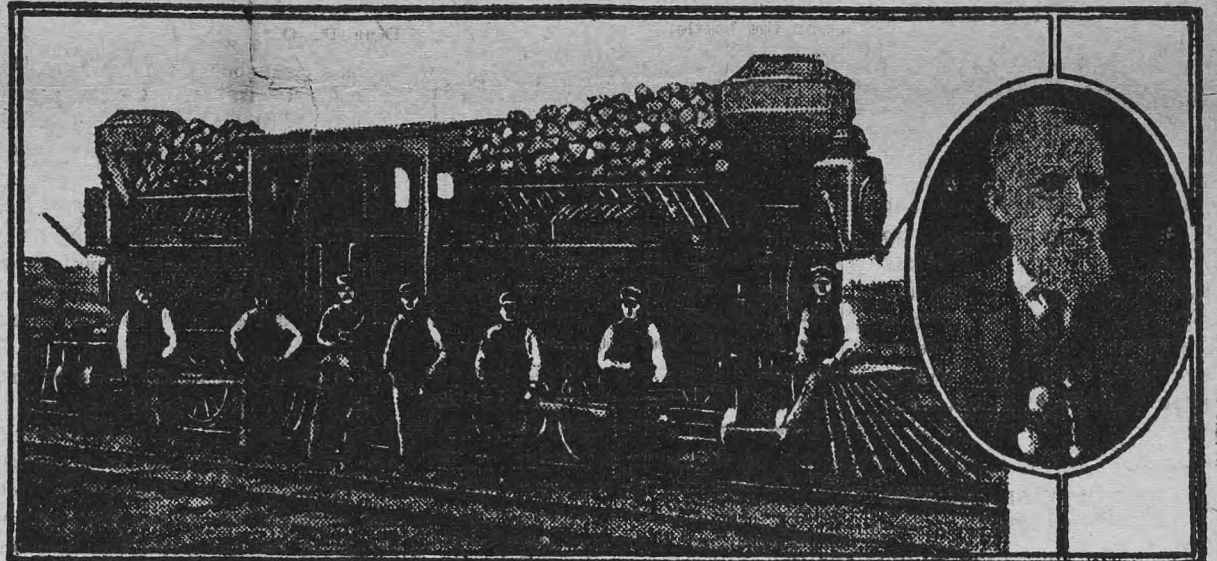
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She paused a moment.

"Again I repeat," she said, "where would man be today were it not for woman?"

"In the garden of Eden, answered a male voice from the rear."

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VILLAGE OF CHAUVIN

THE TAX RECOVERY ACT

Notice is hereby given that a list of lands against which proceedings have been begun under The Tax Recovery Act, 1922, appears in The Alberta Gazette, published on the 31st day of May 1923, and unless the amount of arrears of taxes and costs are paid on or before the 14th day of October 1923, a certificate of title will issue to the municipality in respect thereof. A copy of the said list may be seen at the office of the treasurer during office hours.

Dated at Chauvin, this 2nd day of June 1923. N. FREEMAN, Treas.

SMART BOY

A London office boy was transferred to a Liverpool insurance office.

Approached one day by a funeral person, the boy asked the stranger: "What can I do for you in the way of insurance—life, annuities, fire, or what?"

"Can you insure the immortal soul?" asked the stranger, mysteriously.

"I am not quite certain," replied the youth, "but if you will take a seat I will ask the manager of the fire department."

"Such a boy will go far, for the boy of intelligence is much more to be admired than the boy who can always get four sums right," declared Mr. J. Kay, of Liverpool, who told the story, at the annual conference of the National Association of Schoolmasters.

"What does your wife say when you are out so late at night?"

"I am not married."

"Then why do you stay out so late?"

If a woman is sensible she always agrees with her husband. He thinks that he is having his own way, but really she is.

Tommy had fallen over and upset a dish of prunes. Picking himself up, he observed, "That's lucky."

"Lucky?" demanded his mother. "What's lucky?"

"It's lucky I don't like prunes."

"Has your dog a pedigree?"

"No. He's had nothing of that sort since I began using a new kind of soap on him."

All life is summed up in being, doing and saying.

Never boast of victory until you've won the battle.

MUNICIPAL DISTRICT OF MERTON NO. 451

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that if all Arrears of Taxes imposed in 1922 in respect of any parcel of land situated within the Municipal District of Merton No. 451 are not paid on or before the 1st day of July 1923, such land will be dealt with under the provisions of the Tax Recovery Act 1922 with a view to obtaining certificate of title in the name of the Municipal District in respect to such parcel.

A penalty of 5 per cent must be added to all unpaid Taxes after July 1st.

L. B. NICHOLSON, Secretary-Treasurer.

MUNICIPAL DISTRICT OF MERTON NO. 451

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that a list of lands against which proceedings have been begun under the Tax Recovery Act 1922 appears in the Alberta Gazette published on the 15th day of May 1923; and unless the amount of arrears of taxes and costs are paid on or before the 3rd day of December 1923 a certificate of title will issue to the Municipal District in

respect thereof.

A copy of the said list may be seen at the office of the secretary-Treasurer during office hours.

Dated at Dina this 23rd day of May 23rd 1923.

L. B. NICHOLSON, Secy-Treas.

VILLAGE OF EDGERTON

THE TAX RECOVERY ACT

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that a list of lands against which proceedings have been begun under the TAX RECOVERY ACT 1922, appears in the Alberta Gazette published on the 31st day of May 1923, and unless the amount of arrears of taxes and costs are paid on or before the 12th day of November 1923, a certificate of title will issue to the village of Edgerton in respect thereof.

Dated at Edgerton, Alberta, this 5th day of June 1923.

HERBERT C. BOYD Secretary-Treasurer

MUNICIPAL DISTRICT OF MERTON NO. 451

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the following land has been sold under the Tax Recovery Act 1921 and that the time at which the period of redemption provided by law will expire is the 31st day of October 1923 and that notice required under the provisions of Cause 4 of Section 9 of the Tax Sale Relief Act can be seen in the ALBERTA GAZETTE of May 31st, 1923.

N. W. 1/4 Section 2 Township 46 Range 3 west of 4th.

Dated at Dina this 18th day of June 1923.

Dina P. O. L. B. NICHOLSON, Secretary-Treasurer.

MORTGAGE SALE OF FARM PROPERTY

NEAR EDGERTON, ALBERTA

Pursuant to the directions of the Registrar and by virtue of the Powers of Sale provided by "The Land Titles Act," under a certain mortgage which will be produced at the time of sale.

There will be offered for sale by public Auction at the Post Office in the Village of Edgerton in the Province of Alberta on Saturday the 14th day of July 1923 at the hour of two o'clock in the afternoon, the following property, namely:

The South-East quarter of Section Twenty-five (25) in Township Forty-two (42) Range Four (4) West of the Fourth Meridian, containing One Hundred and Fifty-nine (159) acres more or less, reserving thereout mines and minerals and subject to the exceptions, reservations and conditions in the original grant thereof from the Crown and in the existing Certificate of Title.

Terms of sale to be Twenty per cent cash at the time of sale and the balance according to the terms and conditions to be made known at the time of sale or upon application to the vendor's solicitors.

The above property will be offered for sale subject to a sealed reserved

bid and free from all encumbrances, save: taxes for the current year.

The vendor is informed that the above property is situated about eight miles from the Village of Edgerton, two and a half miles from a school and two and a half miles from a church. The soil is a sandy loam. There is a well on the said property.

For further particulars and conditions of sale, apply GRIESBACH, O'CONNOR & COMPANY, Solicitors, 10072 Jasper Avenue, Edmonton, Alberta.

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GRIESBACH, O'CONNOR & COMPANY Vendor's Solicitors, Approved "A. T. KINNAIRD" Dep. Registrar.

POUND NOTICE

To whom the same may concern: Notice is hereby given that by virtue of power granted under section 24 of "The Stray Animals Act" and of Bylaw of the Rural Municipality of Manito Lake No. 442.

One bay, Gelding about 1100 lbs. branded two half diamonds, divided by upright bar on Right hips, and what appears to be ring top of half diamond on left shoulder.

One bay gelding, branded O on left shoulder, white face about 1150 lb. One black mare, no visible brand, about 2 years old, 1100 lbs.

One filly colt, Roan patch on left hip, no visible brand.

One dark bay gelding, no visible brand, about 1100 lbs.

One dark bay stallion, branded O on left shoulder, about 1400 lbs.

One light bay mare, 4 white feet, branded O on left shoulder, strip on face, about 1200 lbs.

were impounded in the pound kept by the undersigned on the East half 10-43-28-3rd. on Thursday, the Fourteenth day of June 1923.

Dated June 14th 1923.

STANLEY K. CARTER Poundkeeper.

THE MUNICIPAL DISTRICT OF RIBSTONE, NO. 421

NOTICE OF SALE

Notice of sale

Notice is hereby given under section 48 of the Domestic Animals Act (Municipalities) that One Brown Mare 3 years old, white strip on face, some white hair on front foot, no visible brand, weight about 1150 pounds, was impounded in the pound kept by the undersigned, located on the S.E. 1-4 of Section 2-44-2- w.4th M. on Friday the 1st day of June 1923, to Thursday the 14th day of June 1923 and that the said animal may be redeemed by the owner or on his behalf within a period of thirty days from the publication of this notice in the Alberta Gazette, upon payment of all fees and costs due to the municipality and the purchaser of said animal.

For information apply to the poundkeeper, H. L. BINGHAM, Chauvin Post Office, Alberta.

T. H. SAUL, Sec.-Treas. of Municipal District of Ribstone, No. 421 Chauvin, Alberta, June 15th 1923.

Counsel: "Yes, it is a remarkable discovery. May I ask what led you to suspect the prisoner?"

Witness: "Well, you see, I met him several times in places where I should have been ashamed to have been seen myself."

When new shoes squeak, stand them on a plate in which a little castor oil has been poured. The soles will soak this up and there will be no more squeaking.

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8 at MANITOU RESERVE PASTURE

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TERMS: One half cash, Balance secured by lien notes payable December 1st 1923.

Payment may be made and notes signed at the office of MacKenzie & Cox, Chauvin.

A. W. ROBINSON

BARN PRICES

TEAM HAY .. each feed	.40
" HAY (overnight) 2 feeds	1.00
" STALL25
" STALL (overnight) ..	.75
" OATS	extra .20
SINGLE OATS extra	.1
" HAY25
" STALL	15

DANCE

TEAM HAY50
SINGLE HAY25
TEAM STALL35
SINGLE STALL20

TELEPHONE: BARN No. 9 Residence, No. 29

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